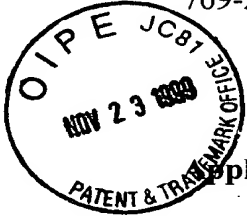


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SIR:

In response to the restriction requirement of September 14, 1999, applicant elects the claims of Group I. Claims 30, 32, 33, 83 and 84 are readable on the elected species. In addition, kindly amend the above-captioned application as follows:

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